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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MOPS, CB

SUBJ: REPORT OF CIVILIAN ARCLIGHT CASUALTIES

1. OUR REPEATED QUERIES AT REFUGEE RECEPTION CENTERS HAVE CONSISTENTLY FAILED TO YIELD EVIDENCE OF CIVILIAN B-52 CASUALTIES.
2. HOWEVER, ON MAY 30 A NEW ARRIVAL AT THE CAMBODIAN CENTER TOLD US OF QTE MANY, MANY DEATHS UNQTE IN THE AREA AROUND HIS HAMLET OF ROS WAT, SANG KE VILLAGE, RUMDOUL DISTRICT, SVAY RIENG PROVINCE SOME EIGHT DAYS PRIOR. RUMDOUL DISTRICT IS ON THE NORTHERN ARC OF THE PARROT'S BEAK.
3. WE HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO LOCATE THE HAMLET. HOWEVER THERE HAVE NOT BEEN ANY B-52 STRIKES IN RUMDOUL DISTRICT ( INCLUDING USSAG- INITIATED STRIKES), IN MAY.

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